

## BULGARIA IS CRACKING--MAY CONCLUDE PEACE

### HARD FIGHTING AT ST. QUENTIN

British and French Forces Draw More Closely Lines Investing Town.

### PUT FOES TO FLIGHT

Allies Continue Their Pursuit of Defeated Bulgarians and Turks in Macedonia and the Holy Land.

London, Sept. 26.—The armies of the Central powers in Turkey and Macedonia are still in flight before the forces of the Allies, while on the highly important St. Quentin sector in France the British and French armies, after hard fighting, have drawn more closely their lines in the investment of the town on the northwest, west and south.

The stubborn resistance of the Germans in defense and in counter attacks has been unavailing except to impede the progress of the men of the armies of Field Marshal Haig and General Debeny.

### Turks' Escape Cut Off.

In Macedonia the Bulgarian and German troops are still faced with disaster; in Palestine the remaining Turks seem to have scarcely a chance for escape from the British forces and tribesmen who are closing in upon them east of the River Jordan. More than 40,000 prisoners and 265 guns have been taken by the British and yet General Allenby's appetite for further emoluments from his hard campaign has not been satiated.

Gauged by the swiftness of the strokes Allenby is delivering, it is his purpose absolutely to overwhelm the Ottomans and the fulfillment of his plans seems appreciably near.

### Foe in Macedonia Flight.

In no less critical situation are the Germans and Bulgarians in the Macedonia theater. Here, except immediately on the Bulgarian frontier where the mountainous country gives them ground for resistance to the invasion of Bulgarian territory through the passes, the Bulgarians and Germans everywhere are in rapid retreat before the Italians, French, Serbians, Greeks and British. Rent in twain at several points, the enemy forces are bewildered and operating as separate units.

Respectively on the western and eastern flanks, the Italians and the Greeks and British are fast throwing forward their lines in endeavors to envelope the enemy, while in the center, where the Serbs have driven their sharp wedge toward Ishtip, there is no lagging, notwithstanding the difficult territory that is being encountered. Rear guards of the enemy armed with machine guns are delaying but little the men whose task it is to reclaim their kingdom.

As yet there is no news of great activity in Albania, but a resumption of operations there in connection with those in the east apparently cannot long be delayed.

### French Two Miles From St. Quentin.

On the French front the British have taken the village of Selency, a scant two miles from the western environs of St. Quentin, and both the British and French troops north and south of this line have driven further wedges into the German front. More than a thousand prisoners and many machine guns have been taken by the British in these operations. Numerous strong counter attacks were delivered by the enemy, both at Selency and at Gricourt, but Haig's men put all of them down with heavy losses to the Germans.

### 15 YANKEES DIE IN ACTION

New Casualty List Contains Names of 375 Americans.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The following casualties have just been reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary forces:

Killed in action: Captain Ernest G. Wold, Minneapolis; Privates Evald Helstad, Pine Creek, Minn.; Vaughan R. Harris, Monticello, Minn.; missing in action, Privates Clarence C. Johnson, Minneapolis; Henry Johnson, Drake, N. D.; Peter E. Sanden, Pelican Rapids, Minn.; Clyde T. Bowly, Devils Lake, N. D.; wounded severely, Harold Abel, Fordville, N. D.; Nick Granas, Burnstad, N. D.; Bennie M. Witzo, Osakis, Minn.; Andrew Lillico, Leyden, N. D.; Myron E. Wright, Casselton, N. D.; Arthur E. Rogers, Minneapolis.

### EVERETT COLBY

Progressive Leader Enlists in Tank Corps.



Everett Colby, one of the pioneer progressive leaders, is an enlisted man in the United States tank corps. He will leave New York for his home in Gettysburg, Pa., for training. Colby is 41 years old and has a family. He has been a worker for the food administration and has assisted in Liberty Loan campaigns.

### Socialist Deputy Says Ludendorff Rules in Germany

(By United Press) Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—Phillip Scheidemann, the majority socialist leader addressing the main committee of the reichstag declared that General Ludendorff and not Chancellor Von Hertling rules in Germany. He said that Germany is suffering now because she undervalued her enemies. Regarding the domination of the military party he said "this sort of thing cannot continue."

### Americans Advance Lines on Metz Front

BY FRANK J. TAYLOR (United Press Staff Correspondent.) With the Americans on the Metz Front, Sept. 26—American troops with the French co-operating advanced east of the Moselle this morning. They gained their first objectives despite the German artillery resistance. The American line on the Moselle extends in a practically straight line from Vandierles to Nomoney, averaging from a mile and a half to two miles from the German border.

### ASSIST IN LOAN CAMPAIGN

Republican Party Workers Will Take Active Interest. New York, Sept. 26.—Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee, asked all Republican state, district and county chairmen and all Republican workers in general, to make the Liberty Loan their chief matter of business from now on. He said that the success of the fourth Liberty Loan would be the Republican party's supreme motif of thought and action until it was attained.

Inspired by German Government. London, Sept. 26.—There is good reason to believe the program adopted by the Social Democratic faction of the reichstag at its meeting Monday was not only inspired by the German government, but actually embodies Germany's peace terms, according to Rotterdam advices to the Telegraph. It is pointed out by the dispatch that the part of the program referring to international arrangements as distinct from internal reforms was discussed soon after the failure of the German offensive.

Rhode Island Candidates Chosen. Providence, R. I., Sept. 25.—Le Baron B. Colt, senior senator from Rhode Island, has been unanimously renominated by the Republican state convention. Governor Beckman of Newport also was renominated. The platform pledged the party to every means of helping to win the war, declared that peace can come only after Germany has been beaten to her knees and stated that provision should be made adequately to care for the soldiers on their return and compensate them for their sacrifice.

## MINISTERIAL CRISIS IS IMMINENT REGENCY MAY FOLLOW PEACE MOVE

### CAPTURE 265 CANNON

British Forces Take 40,000 Prisoners in Holy Land.

Completely Defeated Turkish Army Is Being Pursued by General Allenby.

London, Sept. 26.—It is officially announced that more than 40,000 prisoners have been taken by the Allies in their Palestine offensive. The number of captured guns has been increased to 265.

In pursuit of Turkish forces east of the Jordan, British forces are approaching Amman, on the Hedjaz railway.

"East of the Jordan, in pursuit of the enemy retreating in this direction, we are approaching Amman," the statement said.

"North of this station important demolitions of the railway have been effected by Arab troops. The Arabs also are pressing the enemy retreating northward from Mann, toward Amman."

"The total of prisoners has increased to more than 40,000 and we have counted 265 guns."

### War Debt Will Reach 19 Billion

(By United Press) Washington, Sept. 26.—America's war debt will reach the 19 billion dollar mark on the day she reaches her fourth liberty loan. With daily expenditures near fifty-nine millions this month war cost will break all records. Germany's four years of war piled up a debt of thirty-nine billion dollars according to the only available estimates which have been kept a mystery.

### Allied Aviators Attack Airdrome

London, Sept. 26.—Allied aviators attacked an enemy airdrome at Buhl near Karlsruhe yesterday with good results.

### Bulgaria All Excited at Allied Success

(By United Press) Zurich, Sept. 26.—A state of seige has been proclaimed in Sophia according to reliable information. The inhabitants have been ordered to remain in doors after nine at night. The newspapers appeal to the people and army to remain calm "at the moment when the country is in supreme danger." The cabinet is sitting continuously. Czar Ferdinand is consulting his generals at grand headquarters. It is reported a new ministerial crisis is imminent. Some circles predict a regency under Prince Boris. Popular peace demonstrations occurred at the capital Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

### Offensive May Cause a Separate Peace

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26.—A Bulgarian coalition government and perhaps a separate peace may result from the present offensive was the belief expressed here this afternoon.

### British Progress Taking Prisoners

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26.—The British have progressed capturing certain strongly defended localities in the neighborhood of Selency and Gricourt, taking a number of prisoners. General Haig reports. Local operations continued last night successfully northwest of St. Quentin.

### Serbian Capture Gradsko Station

London, Sept. 26.—Serbian troops have reached Kriva Ladavitsa river eight miles beyond the Vardar, a Serbian official statement says. Gradsko station has been captured.

### MOVING OUT OF RANGE

Civilian Population Is Preparing to Leave Metz.

German Military Authorities Making Preparations to Defend Fortress.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—A dispatch received here from Berlin says:

"It is announced that, owing to the long range bombardment of Metz and other places, preparations are making for the expeditious evacuation of civilians and movable property from places within range of such guns when the evacuation becomes necessary."

Metz is under range of the Americans' heavy artillery following the victory of the Yankees which wiped out the St. Mihiel salient and advanced their line to the Moselle river bend across which lies the border of German Lorraine. Metz is about 10 miles away.

### British Win Local Success at St. Quentin

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26.—The British continued yesterday to win local successes northwest of St. Quentin. General Haig announced officially. Several counter attacks were repulsed and slight advances made northwest of Labasse and Armentieres in Flanders last night, additional prisoners being taken.

### Germans Desert Cross Lines

BY LOWELL MELLETT (United Press Staff Correspondent.) With British Afield, Sept. 26.—Three German officers and one hundred and two men deserted west of St. Quentin last night and slipped across into British lines.

### GEN. VON SANDERS

Commanded Turkish Forces Defeated by British.



The overwhelming defeat of the Turks in Palestine is pointed to as another of a long series of reverses for which the Young Turks and their tutors will be blamed by the Turkish people. The Palestine forces of the Turks have been under command of General von Sanders, who participated in the defense of the Dardanelles.

### German Troops Shoot Bulgarian Deserters

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26.—German troops are continually firing on Bulgarians who desert the battle line says a Serbian official announcement. German prisoners complain the Bulgarians intentionally abandon in great numbers German made machine guns.

### Allied Troops Invade Bulgaria

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26.—British troops entered Bulgarian territory yesterday it is officially announced. The greatest penetration is opposite Kosturino. This town is two miles within Bulgarian territory and four miles south of the important Bulgarian center of Stroumitza.

### French Assist in American Attack

(By United Press) Paris, Sept. 26.—French troops are co-operating with the Americans who attacked in the Champagne region this morning says a French official statement. The attack was made at five this morning and the Americans are operating to the eastward. Renewed enemy attacks in the regions of allotment and Laffaux reported. Our lines were penetrated near Laffaux, but we restored the situation. East of Sancy we extended our gains taking prisoners.

### Bacillus of Influenza Discovered and Isolated

(By United Press) Rome, Sept. 26.—Prof. Ciauri, director of the military hospital at Cotrone announced today he had discovered and isolated the bacillus of Spanish influenza. The disease was brought in by repatriated prisoners roaming throughout the country.

### Jap Statesman Dead

(By United Press) Tokyo, Sept. 26.—Viscount Montono the Japanese foreign minister in the Terauchi cabinet is dead.

## TEUTON LEADERS ARE EXPLAINING

Reichstag Committee Hears Why Great Offensive on West Front Failed.

### BRITISH TOO STRONG

Reinforcements Arriving From England and Fact That Attempt at Surprise Attack Did Not Succeed Are Cited.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—On behalf of the minister of war, General von Wrisberg addressed the main committee of the reichstag.

He explained, according to a telegram from Berlin that the failure of the German offensive on the western front was due to the failure of the German army to surprise the Allies and the necessity of assuming the defensive on the arrival of the English home army in the theater of war; to the employment of colored troops and to the intervention of American divisions.

### Von Hintze Talks on Russia.

Admiral von Hintze, the German foreign minister, discussed at length the Allied operation in Russia and expressed the opinion that the southward advance of the Allied troops in the Murman region was not likely to penetrate much farther, the climate and condition of the ground not favoring such an advance. He asserted that the Bolshevik policy was not clear, because although fighting the Allies, the Bolshevik leaders had not declared war.

Accusing the Allies of fomenting conspiracies against the Russian republic, von Hintze said that these conspiracies, undertaken in collaboration by the Allied representatives and America had been bloodily suppressed.

Referring to the Allied attack on the Marne salient, General von Wrisberg said the withdrawal of the German troops was necessary "for strategic reasons and was completely successful."

### Says Allies Win But Lose.

"Thus the first offensive of the enemy," he added, "brought him a tactical success but, considered in the light of his great strategic aims, it can be regarded as not having succeeded."

General von Wrisberg described the British victory between the Ancre and the Ayre rivers as a "great success due to the massed employment of tanks and surprise under the protection of their fire."

The withdrawal to the Hindenburg line, the general said, was due to a "lack of well consolidated positions."

Speaking of the American victory in the St. Mihiel sector General Wrisberg said:

"It lies in the nature of the case that we as the defenders lost a considerable number of guns and prisoners. We can, however, with assurance, calculate that the enemy obtained his success on the first days of the attack by surprise and with small loss, but for the rest he suffered the heaviest losses."

Captain Brueninghaus, speaking for the German navy department in the main committee of the reichstag, said that U-boats were sinking more cargo space than being built by the Allies and that the number of German submarines in service today was larger than at any period of the war.

### FUNERAL NEXT WEDNESDAY

Remains of Archbishop Ireland Will Lie in State.

St. Paul, Sept. 26.—Solemn pontifical requiem services, with the hierarchy of the Roman Catholic church in America participating, assisted by civil and military leaders of national prominence, will be held at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul Wednesday morning when Archbishop John Ireland is interred.

The body will lie in state in the big granite pile overlooking St. Paul all of Tuesday and until the last obsequies and chants shall have been sung in the Cathedral.

### Property Is Ordered Sold.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Real estate on Riverside drive, New York City, owned by Mrs. Lilly Busch, wife of the late Adolphus Busch, millionaire brewer of St. Louis, is to be sold by the Federal custodian of alien property at private sale. Authority for the sale is given in an executive order of the President made public at the custodian's office.

### Hun Prisoners Taken by Americans in Great Drive



Here is proof in this large number of prisoners taken by the Americans in their great drive in France that they are making prisoners of thousands of Huns. This photograph shows just a few of those taken and on their way to the pens.



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## THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:  
Not much change.  
Cooperative observer's record at 7 p. m.:  
Sept. 25—Maximum 65, minimum 43. Reading in evening, 64, North wind. Clear.  
Sept. 26—Minimum during the night, 33.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visiting Soldiers, Other Visitors, Weddings, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Telephone Northwest 74.

For Spring Water phone 264. A. N. McDonnell of Atkin was in the city today.

Let Olson hand wash your rugs. Phone 653-J.

Mrs. A. B. English of Pequot was in the city today.

Miss Betty Olson has returned from a visit in St. Cloud.

Early tonight as the Kellerman show starts at 7:00 and 9:15.

Dance at Freedham Friday, Sept. 27. Blue Ribbon orchestra. Henry Mills, roadmaster of the Minnesota & International railway, was in Brainerd today.

J. J. McAuliffe of Duluth, having large mining interests on the range, was in Brainerd today.

For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith Sleeper Block.

Butter has ascended two cents a pound, as witness the rise in price in the Food Fair Price List.

Representative Charles W. Bouck of Roylton went to Pequot today to attend the fair Thursday and Friday.

Annette Kellerman tonight at the Best in a big special, coming to the length the picture starts promptly at 7:00.

William Jennings Bryan, Senator Richard Jones, Ex Governor Van Sant arrived this afternoon from St. Paul and left in the afternoon for the Crosby wedding.

A big dance at the K. C. Hall on Wednesday night.

Joseph McCauley and Miss Hazel Jordan were married Wednesday at Crosby by Rev. Father Turbiaux and spent their honeymoon in Brainerd, returning today to Manganese.

Mrs. R. E. Cody and not Mrs. W. H. Gemmell, as given out in an official program, will speak on the Y. W. C. A. at the county fair Friday afternoon. She will be followed by Mrs. J. A. Thabes on the Red Cross.

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Nettleton sells and rents houses. 9716

E. P. McCarthy of the Washburn-Crosby Minneapolis mills was in the city and bought a pedigree Airedale from O. H. Johnson. The dog is a half brother to L. R. Tanner's famous Scotty.

Anderson's Photos are Classiest. 9516

Dispatch want ads measured a column and three-quarters, including 16 help wants, 8 for rent, 19 for sale and 5 miscellaneous wants. Telephone your wants to the Dispatch, Northwest 74, or mail the ad or have it sent to the office. Ads are cash.

For Sale—1918 Ford car run four months. Herbert Peterson, at Pri-deaux & Roller's garage. 611f

All Modern Woodmen are invited to attend the entertainment and service flag dedication by Brainerd Camp N. W. A., at their hall on Friday evening, September 27th 8 p. m. The Deputy Head Consul wants to meet you at that time. 9812

Edison Amberola Phonographs sold on easy payments. Folsom Music Co. 921f

County Engineer C. L. Moti says the Guil Lake road to the county fair is in passable shape and the trip can be made if it does not rain. Rain will make the clay sections slippery. Mr. Moti traversed the road Wednesday.

Money to loan on city real estate. J. H. Kreckelberg. 741f

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Prices for food are high in Omaha, Neb., said George E. Lowe who recently visited there. The country suffered from drought and potatoes are 65 cents a peck and cabbage is 7 cents a pound, with other things in proportion. Lawns are burned brown as there was little rain all summer.

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The Board of Education of the Brainerd School District offers for sale to the highest bidder, the house known as No. 620, located on lots three and four, block 161. South, 6th Street, same being the first house directly south of the Lincoln School Building.

Conditions of Sale  
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**TRUTH STRANGE AS FICTION**  
Novel by William De Morgan Has Counterpart in Real Life-Story of Englishman.

A little more than ten years ago an Englishman, deep in the sixties, was great renown by going to a hospital.

His illness, though severe, was ordinary enough. The use he made of his convalescence distinguished him. Propped up in bed, William De Morgan wrote his first novel. When he was entirely recovered, he wrote another, which was destined to carry on his fame around the reading world.

The book told the story of an engineer returned to London after many adventures. There a mishap in the tube caused him to lose his memory. In the dazed state he lived a new life. By chance he met his former wife, fell in love with her and married her again. Strange as was De Morgan's tale—critics said only he could make it convincing—London itself has duplicated it from life.

John Arthur Lewis, a returned soldier, was lately haled into court for absconding with money he had collected for his employers.

His innocence was easily proved. On the collecting trip he had been struck by a van and injured. Bereft of his memory he wandered over England, arrived at his old home, and was introduced by his mother to a young woman, said to be his wife.

He refused to accept his past until one night the German airmen dropped bombs, and the shock of the explosion restored his memory. Then all came back, even the uncompleted day's work of last August.

History here modifies the ancient observation as to truth and fiction. Truth is not stranger than good writing. Rather the artist senses probably ahead of the facts and later reality corroborates him. Who knows not at least one Enoch Arden? Tennyson guessed them all.

## EASY MONEY FOR YOUNGSTER

And Incidentally Druggist Knows More About United States Currency, So It's Even Break.

The druggist at the corner was passing some copper money in change for a broken dime, the big part of which had been spent in chocolate candy, to an eleven-year-old lad.

"There's your three pennies change," said the druggist.

"Wotcher givin' us?" said the small boy.

"Your change, three pennies."

"No, y'r not. Them's not pennies. You ain't got no pennies in the house."

"I've more than a hundred of 'em in the cash register."

"I'll bet you ain't got one, let alone a hundred," said the boy. "I'll bet you five soda waters."

"I'll take you," said the druggist.

"I'll prove it right now. Read what it says on that money. Don't it say 'One Cent'?" You don't find any pennies in our coins. Our teacher told us."

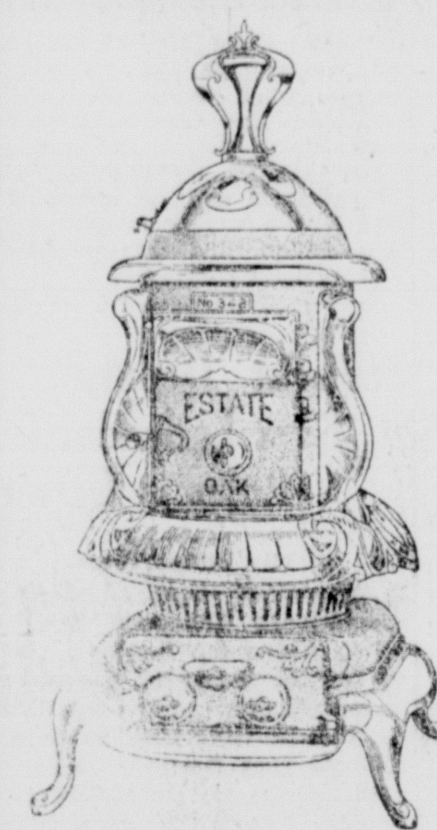
The druggist acknowledged his error. "Now," said the boy, "come on with your soda water. Gimme two glasses of chocolate to begin with."

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss. In Probate Court.  
Special term, September 25th, 1918.  
In the matter of the estate of Thaddeus Ward, deceased:  
On reading and filing the petition of Alice L. Ward, executrix of the estate of Thaddeus Ward, deceased, representing among other things, that she has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining, settling and allowing the final account of her administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.  
It is Ordered, that said account be examined, and petition heard by this court, on Monday the 21st day of October, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock a. m., at the Probate Court Rooms in Brainerd in said County.  
And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.  
Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, this 25th day of September, A. D. 1918.  
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## WOMAN'S REALM

## FRESHMEN CLASS

Hold a Meeting on Tuesday and Elect Officers, Miss Hazel Algers Charming President

The Freshman class of the high school held a meeting Tuesday night and the following officers were elected:

President—Hazel Algers.  
Vice President—Desmond Hurley.  
Secretary-Treasurer—Ray Engbretson.  
Reporter—Ethel Thayer.  
Advisor—Miss O'Brien.

## BELGIAN RELIEF

Collection of Clothing and Material Will be Made Friday, Packed at Gardner Block

The collection of clothing and material for the Belgium Relief will be made Friday and the parcels which have been left at the different schools of the city gathered up and taken to the Gardner block for packing.

All who fail to send in their parcels to the different school buildings but who will have them ready for the collectors, will please advise the committee at phone number 31 and they will be called for.

It is the purpose of the committee to make the shipment of clothing on Saturday and for this reason, the public is urged to co-operate in this movement and have parcels either at the school buildings tomorrow or ready for the collector at their homes Saturday.

## Camouflage Entertainment

Friday evening at 8 o'clock at concert hall of the Methodist church under the auspices of the Philathea Bible class:

1. "The Robin's Return" Miss Nora Smith.
2. Sack Parade, Guess who.
3. Sunflower girls.
4. Violin duet.
5. "The New Bonnet", Fern Lowe
6. Piano solo, Miss Mildred Skauge.
7. Pantomime, "Wanted a Wife", 8 characters.
8. "College Medley," Miriam Michael.
9. Goo Boos.
10. "Hail to Our Flag" John Fisher.
11. Two Darkey Girls will Sing.
12. "Grandma will Pay the Bill" Marjorie Forsberg.
13. "Your Flag and I" Jackie Kylo.
14. Reading "A Horse or a Husband."
15. Pantomime, "The Three Lovers," six characters.
16. Duet by two colored gentlemen.
17. "Miss Edith Helps Things Along," Dorothy Smith.
18. Darkey quartet.
19. "The Inventor's Wife," Ruth Pentin.
20. Darkey quartet.

Pay W. S. S. Pledges

Methodist Church Notes

Morning worship at 10:30 a. m., at which time the sermon theme by the pastor, Rev. F. W. Hill, will be "That

Neighbor of Mine." Special music by the choir.

Bible school at 12 o'clock.  
Junior League at 3:30 o'clock.  
Epworth League at 7:15 o'clock.  
Topic, "The Saloon Power and How to Overthrow It."

Evening service at 8 o'clock. The fourth number in the special series will be delivered by the pastor, the subject being: "The Long Hauler and the Middle-aged Sinner." This is the last sermon of the conference year and the members and friends are invited to be present.

## Barrows Methodist Church

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Barrows Methodist church the pastor, Rev. F. W. Hill, will conduct a preaching service, taking as the sermon subject: "Decision." Those in this community are cordially invited to be present.

## AMUSEMENTS

## Beautiful Scenes in New Production

Triangle's latest production, "Who is to Blame?" which will be shown at the Best theatre tomorrow night, offers some beautiful scenic effects that are both charming and original. The play is laid in Japan, and Director Frank Borzage made unusual efforts to obtain accurate representations of the oriental effects desired.

There are animated scenes at the docks where American passengers disembark in Japan, and are hailed by rickshaw boys; curio booths in the streets of Heavenly Pleasure, gorgeously-arranged geishas in a dainty tea house, and other entrancing touches in this delightful picture at the Best theatre.

## DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.



At the Best Tomorrow

## They Recruited 46,000 Britishers Here



Brigadier-General W. A. White, C. B. and C. M. G., and Colonel John S. Dennis, C. E. F., whose work for the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission will cease Sept. 28 for Britishers and Canadians between twenty-one and thirty-one, and Oct. 12 for men between eighteen and twenty-one, and those between thirty-one and forty-five, have secured about 46,000 men, two-thirds of whom went into the Canadian army. About 70,000 out of 350,000 British subjects in the United States offered their services. Under the international treaty 250,000 of them now fall into the American draft. About 100,000 Americans in Canada and Great Britain will be subject to draft into the British or Canadian army.

## NEW SILHOUETTE MAY BE ADOPTED

Long, Slim Skirt, Draped Upward at Back, Promises to Receive Favor.

## HAT QUESTION TIMELY TOPIC

Anzac, Repetition of Musketeer, is Among the Late Models Worn With the Lengthened and Sweeping Costumes.

New York.—One approaches the subject of a new silhouette these days with timidity, notes a fashion writer. One feels the shadow of the storm that is about to burst when fashion writers and designers say to the public that the lines of women's clothes have changed, which means that women's wardrobes must change if they remain in the picture of the hour.

When we are in the throes of conservation and economy, the idea of a new silhouette is not altogether pleasing. It is snatched up with avidity by those who sell apparel, for they know it is a lure to the purse. But it is also snatched up by orators, the reformers, and thousands who ask women not to change the style of their clothes during the war. These do not snatch it up with avidity, but jump upon it and try to crush it by argument and vituperation.

The French say, however, that to face a fact and not theorize on a fancy is a far better way to meet life. Therefore, if the new silhouette is here, and if women will accept it by the thousands, it is far better to face it than to ignore it; it is wiser to realize that it must be managed on a basis of economy and conservation.

Argument has never had the slightest effect on fashions. The persuasive tones of the administration, asking that our material be spared by civilians because it is needed for the fighters, has had its result; but this is only in keeping with the uncompromising attitude of America toward all restrictions during the war. The majority of women feel, and it seems that that feeling is right, that if they do not encroach upon the fabrics and workers needed by the government they can have as many new costumes as they wish, on whatever lines they please.

## Long Skirts Replace Short Ones.

The fundamental fact in the silhouette is that skirts sweep the ankles and heels. To many women this is the fundamental fact, but to the designers and the reporters there is far more in the change than this.

If women were to continue to wear plaited skirts on straight lines, sweeping the ankles, and straight skirts that reached the toe-tips and



New turban of white angora worn well down over the head. The frock is of dark blue velvet, with plaited white collar and cuffs and a row of white pearly buttons on each hip. The shoes and stockings are black and white.

were made to look less scanty by rippling tunics that extended to the knee, one would still find that the old clothes would do. But the new long skirt is draped; it is draped upward at the back, and it is very, very slender in its outline.

You can easily see that such a skirt will influence the bodice and the waistline. One cannot wear tunics over draped skirts. One cannot wear oriental sashes at the hip-line over draped skirts, as they did in 1880.

There is so much that must go by the board with a skirt that is a graceful revival of the old "pull-back," which was held in place by short, strong elastic placed in the back widths of the skirt to pull it tight across the front of the figure.

The normal waistline will undoubtedly come in with the draped skirt; or the basque, with its pointed front fastened in a straight line up to the collar-bone, may be revived. The

corset bodice is another garment that is possible, as it needs a straight line beneath it to keep the silhouette in harmony. It is said that wide dolman sleeves will be revived with these long draped skirts, as well as flat lace collars resting securely against the tight-fitting necklines.

## All in the Future.

All this, mind you, is in the future, as far as fashions for the mass are concerned. But it would be unfair to the women who are buying clothes today not to warn them of this approaching change, and the belief by all those in authority that this silhouette will rule women's clothes as the winter comes on.

One thing, however, is quite certain in the minds of those who have au-



Anzac hat of pale-gray felt. The crown is trimmed with a miniature cartridge belt made of gray faille ribbon. The ornament is a tiny red, white and blue jeweled flag. The frock is of pale-gray satin and silk voile, and is trimmed with tiny gray silk buttons. There is a string sash tied in the back.

thority: All skirts will be lengthened as the season advances under the influence of this new skirt. Women are already ripping out hems or adding new hems of other material to skirts they are renovating.

This is a wise thing for a woman to remember if she is in the throes of altering frocks that will maintain her wardrobe in good style until the actual cold weather demands warmer materials. Don't let her be misled by the fact that the majority of women's clothes worn and sold today have short skirts. All the betting on the racetrack of fashion is against their winning. It is far wiser to renovate a skirt for the future than for the present, if one considers the gown worth the price of money and vitality that clever renovation requires.

## Speaking of Skirts, What About Hats?

The first question that a woman asks when she is told that the long, pull-back skirt and the tight basque are arriving, concerns the best hat that will go with such a silhouette.

The answer to her question depends on the nature of the place where she shops. It is probable that the information will be given her that the milliners have amassed a vast variety of head coverings, and that she can take her choice; but if she definitely insists upon what is new, she will be told by those who know that the striking novelty is the revival of a man's hat that has won a picturesque place for itself through several centuries of usage.

Once it was called the Musketeer, because of its upturned brim and its long feather; today it is called the Anzac. Between the two classes of fighters there is no difference, except the progress of time. They fight with much the same principle to guide them, and both fight for the honor and safety of France.

Today the Anzac hat comes into high fashion, and at the hour of the Australian fighters' distinction.

It is made of white, gray, black and mauve felt. Sometimes it has an insignia of no importance as a method of fastening up the brim to the crown, and again it has a thick, curling ostrich feather. It is the latter trimming that is added to the felt hat when the costume is a slim, draped frock that reaches from collar-bone to tips of toes.

There is a recrudescence of ostrich feathers over the land, and as all the milliners are insisting that hats shall be trimmed, there is every reason to believe that the African plume will be restored to fashion.

So, throughout the warp and woof of the new fashions there runs a thread of economy, for the reason that much is revived which has been shelved and may have been kept.

Quite a little summary, don't you think, of the dead brought back to life?

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## EVERY DAY GOOD THINGS.



National War Garden Commission

POUND of dried apricots added to apple, then cooked down with sugar added to make thick marmalade, will be found especially good flavored.

Serve ice cream, using the small scoop; place in sherbet cups and pour over a sauce of strawberry. In this manner of serving, a quart of ice cream will serve many more.

An Egg Extender.—Try out two slices of salt pork cut in small cubes. In this hot fat brown a cupful each of bread cubes and potatoes, also cut in cubes. When brown add two slightly beaten eggs and stir constantly until the egg is cooked. Season well and serve garnished with parsley.

Chestnut Croquettes.—Take a cup of well-cooked and mashed chestnuts, add two tablespoonsful of thick cream, the yolks of two eggs, a teaspoonful of sugar and a few drops of vanilla. Shape in balls and roll in egg and crumbs; fry in hot fat.

Bread Pudding.—Butter several slices of bread and lay in the bottom of a baking dish; pour over any stewed fruit, like peaches, prunes, or any canned fruit, then add another layer of buttered bread and bake. This may be eaten with fruit juice for a sauce, or, if the fruit is juicy, it will need no sauce.

Cottage Pie.—Put chopped meat with gravy in a baking dish and cover with seasoned mashed potato, made quite moist with milk. Put into a hot oven to heat well and quickly.

Carrots With Lemon Butter.—Cook tender young carrots cut in shoestring with very little water. When cooked add butter and a little lemon juice, with a grating of nutmeg.

Seasoned Mush.—Cook a ham bone in water until the meat falls; remove the meat, chop and reserve it to add later. Stir cornmeal into the broth and cook until well done; add seasoning and the chopped meat; pour into a square pan to mold and serve sliced and fried in a little hot fat. This is nice for luncheon.

Nellie Maxwell

## FORD SURPRISES DEMOCRATS

Senatorial Candidate Will Not Be Party Bound.

Detroit, Sept. 26.—Making his first purely political utterance since becoming a candidate for the United States Senate, Henry Ford enlivened the proceedings of the Democratic state convention here with a letter in which he informed the party leaders that although nominally their candidate, he did not intend to be bound by any party considerations, Democrat or Republican.

"I hold myself free to support such measures, whatever their origin, as commend themselves to my judgment for the best interests of all the people," Mr. Ford wrote.

## RETIRED TO SHORTEN LINE

German General Disclaims Any Fear of Americans.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—"The American armies should not terrify us; we will also settle with them," declared General von Weisburg, representing the war ministry, in addressing the main committee of the reichstag.

"The German retirements have been partially for the purpose of shortening the line, the better to cope with the enemy's tanks."

"Defense is more a question of nerves than material. The higher command is looking confidently to the future. The enemy calculates, more than ever, upon our internal collapse. We must fight for our existence."

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is a supply station or reservoir for good ministers and that winning success in Brainerd is a stepping stone to greater things.

We wish every man would continue to stay in Brainerd, but if he accepts the call, why we wish him boundless success, continued prosperity, and we would like to hear from them once in a while. The home folks here will not forget them.

## FIGURE IT OUT YOURSELF

Remember when you are approached by a solicitor in the Liberty Loan drive and he informs you that you are expected to subscribe to a certain amount of Liberty bonds not to lose your temper and try to take a fall out of the solicitor. The place for you to register your kick is before the board of review and perhaps by the time your complaint is sifted down there you will come to the conclusion that you have not got as much to kick about as you thought you had. —Chisholm Tribune-Herald.

## CHAMBER COMMERCE ROUSING MEETING

Dr. J. A. Thabes, President of Organization, Made Cheering Introductory Speech

## LINCOLN RESUME OF CLUB WORK

Club Dinner Enjoyed by Sixty, Round Table Discussion at the Meeting Following

The club dinner Wednesday evening, first of a series, drew sixty to the Chamber of Commerce and all stayed for the short business session following. The menu was an excellent one, everything cooked just right and served smoking hot. The committee of assistants maneuvered through the roast beef, gravy, mashed potatoes, cold slaw in great style and served every one a goodly portion.

At the business session Dr. J. A. Thabes made the introductory speech and referred to the numerous war activities the Chamber of Commerce had undertaken to aid and had been successful in carrying out.

Carl Zapffe, county chairman of the Fourth Liberty Loan, gave a four minute talk on the loan and the method of handling it in this district. The allotment and the request to have subscribers call at the city hall for their allotment was to do away with the corps of solicitors.

Secretary Lincoln reviewed the work of the Chamber of Commerce and gave the percentage of work done as being 56 per cent war activities, 21 per cent business, 8 per cent civic and 15 per cent social. Fifty of the membership had gone to war, fifty had reduced memberships. A membership campaign was needed to gain new blood. He knew of 100 members to be gained if the right committees took the work in hand. He hoped every man in the organization would put his shoulder to the wheel and assist.

R. R. Wise said the duty of every man was to be loyal to the city and the Chamber of Commerce. When the boys came home from over there, they would appreciate the activities of the Chamber. They would support the Chamber and any organization that helped them.

Mayor R. A. Beise spoke on the

Liberty bond issue.

George D. LaBar mentioned the war activities engrossing the attention of the club. There would also be many opportunities for development of city and country after the war.

Henry I. Cohen, former president, referred to the loyal, patriotic attitude of draft registrants.

H. P. Dunn spoke of the high regard in which the Twin Cities held Brainerd and of the prominence gained by its industries. He offered a resolution which was adopted unanimously, thanking the orchestra for furnishing the fine music during the club dinner.

W. C. Cobb spoke briefly and told a witty story.

W. H. Cleary, himself a director, inveighed against the directors who like himself had missed meetings.

John A. Hoffbauer praised the Chamber as backing up the government loyally and paid a tribute to the good work of Secretary Lincoln and that if he wanted a membership campaign inaugurated he should be given every kind of support.

E. A. Colquhoun spoke on getting together and showing the spirit of cooperation.

C. A. Allbright spoke on club work. F. H. Simpson said the Chamber was doing a wide civic work and should be supported by all citizens.

Robert T. Campbell, city engineer, spoke on street and sewer problems. A. L. Hoffman said the right men can be depended on to put through any good proposition in Brainerd and that if a membership campaign was needed it could be made successful.

John Hurley, market master of the public market, spoke briefly.

## TWO BILLS DRAG THROUGH CONGRESS

WATER POWER AND AGRICULTURAL SURVEY MEASURES FAR FROM BEING ENACTED.

## EFFECT OF CASUALTY LISTS

Contrary to German Expectations, They Make Country More Determined to Fight War to a Finish—Sims Praises Esch of Wisconsin.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—Two bills which have for months been dragging their way through the two branches of congress are still far from being enacted into law and there is a wide difference of opinion between the two houses as to the terms in which those bills will finally be drawn. More than a year ago the senate passed a water power bill. Along last January the house struck out everything after the enacting clause of this bill and substituted one known as the administration measure. That administration measure dragged its way slowly through the house of representatives, meeting a good deal of commendation, and finally passed by an almost unanimous vote. Is it not strange that a bill having such a preponderance of support in the house of representatives should occupy so much time? The bill has now been returned to the senate, but it is far from being completed and it will probably take weeks and months of conference before it finally reaches the president.

The other bill is one of the so-called "emergency measures." One would suppose that an emergency measure should be speeded up, but not so with the agricultural survey bill which provided for the expenditure of a large amount of money to encourage the growth of crops for war purposes. That bill has been on the ways some thing like four months. It had a hard time in the house, but in the senate it was stalled for several months and finally emerged from that body with a nation-wide prohibition amendment attached. This is another bill that passed the senate almost unanimously, although it had taken three months for consideration.

It was the fanciful idea of the Germans that when the people of the United States began to read the long casualty lists in the newspapers they would at once become active opponents of the war and demand that the United States withdraw from it. At least the German people were fed up on this idea just as they were assured that America would not get into the war, could not get into the war, and under no circumstances would our troops be effective in the war. Of course the effect has been just contrary to what the Germans said it would be. The casualty lists have made people more determined than ever to fight this war to a finish. We all know how it makes the soldiers feel to have their companions shot down beside them, and in a way the American people feel the same degree of intense hatred against the German nation which has caused this immense loss of life and the wounding and maiming of so many men. The casualty lists are of course a sad thing for our people, but they have not had the result that the Germans claimed for them ever since this government entered the war.

## DEATH CLAIMS JOHN IRELAND; ILL FOR YEAR

Eminent Catholic Prelate Aware of Approaching End for Forty-eight Hours.

## MONUMENTS TO ZEAL

Erection of Twin City Edifices Crowned Achievement of Archbishop's —Sees Arch-Diocese of St. Paul Develop From Log Chapel.

St. Paul, Sept. 26.—Archbishop John Ireland is dead at his residence, 226 Summit avenue.

The eminent Catholic prelate had been ill almost continuously for nearly a year. He suffered a relapse ten days ago and became gradually weaker until his death. The end came peacefully.

## Knew End Was Near.

Archbishop Ireland was aware for more than 48 hours before his death that the end was near. His countenance was continually lighted with a smile, which throughout his life had been one of his most charming characteristics. He said several times during the last two days that his life work had been accomplished and that he was ready to go.

His recent serious illness became known last Thursday when Father Thomas A. Welch announced that the archbishop's condition was very low. He sank gradually Friday and on Saturday hope was given up by those at his bedside.

## Went South for Health.

The first information that the archbishop's health was failing came last January when it was announced he was going to Florida for his health. En route, he was snowbound at Chicago for one day. This is believed to have been very detrimental to his physical condition.

He gradually became better and early in April returned to his old home at 977 Portland avenue. On April 20 it became known that the archbishop had suffered a relapse. Physicians in attendance at that time announced that the strain of the long trip to Florida had been more detrimental to him than the climate was beneficial.

## Rallied From Illness.

Archbishop Ireland rallied from that illness and was able to leave his bed late in May. In July he moved to his new home at 226 Summit avenue, which had been bought by communications of the St. Paul diocese.

Archbishop Ireland was honored on May 15 by the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States by being elected commander of that body at a meeting at the West hotel. It is the highest gift within the power of the Loyal Legion, a militant and progressive body composed exclusively of officers of the Civil war and officers' sons.

## Eighty Years Old.

Archbishop Ireland was 80 years old September 11. He spent the day at his residence, but there was no celebration of any kind. He received a few of his friends and many congratulatory messages from various parts of the country.

His new home on Summit avenue is considered one of the finest structures on the avenue. It is built on the eminence overlooking St. Paul and the Mississippi river, while the front of the building faces the St. Paul cathedral.

## Stimulants Prolong Life.

It was learned Saturday night that stimulants had been used to keep the archbishop alive since last November. Oxygen has also been used during the past week in an effort to sustain life.

Mother Superior Seraphine, sister of Archbishop Ireland; Bishop Thomas O'Gorman, of Sioux Falls, and Bishop James Trobec of St. Cloud, Minn., had been at the bedside of the prelate since Saturday.

## Foremost Figure Gone.

The passing of Archbishop Ireland removes a foremost figure in Minnesota and the Northwest, a national figure for many years. As priest, army chaplain, colonizer, temperance advocate, educator, diplomat, friend of presidents and popes, and leader in religious thought, he had been among the most widely known Americans of his time.

Erection of the Pro-Cathedral of St. Mary in Minneapolis and the new Cathedral in St. Paul, both works of the last decade, was a crowning achievement of the archbishop's. He had seen the arch-diocese of St. Paul develop from a log chapel erected by his church in St. Paul to a great missionary field with six suffragan bishops and great edifices as monuments to his zeal and faithfulness.

## Desires Deferred Classification.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Secretary McAdoo has instructed heads of bureaus of the treasury, both in Washington and throughout the country, to ask deferred draft classification for employees "necessary to the adequate and effective operation of the service of the bureau, division or office to which he is attached and who cannot be replaced by another person without substantial material loss and detriment." This may affect thousands of employees of revenue, collectors and customs offices.

## BUREAUS MAY BE MOVED ELSEWHERE

SOME OF THEM COULD BE JUST AS WELL LOCATED IN OTHER CITIES AS WASHINGTON.

## WOULD BENEFIT THE CAPITAL

People All Over the Country Saving Up for the Fourth Liberty Loan, the Full Success of Which is Assured.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—There would no doubt be a considerable amount of inconvenience if some of the bureaus in Washington were removed to other cities. At the same time it seems altogether likely that something of that kind must be done in order to take care of the business if it is to expand as constantly as it has in the past. Congress is really in earnest about moving some of these bureaus and it is pointed out that quite a number could just as well be located in other cities as in Washington.

The war risk insurance bureau under the treasury department says that 33,000 additional clerks will be needed to carry on its business. There is no office room or housing room for these clerks and there will not be, even with the additional buildings that are being erected. In many other cities it is said that there is plenty of office space and housing space and that there is no reason why many of these clerks could not be taken away from Washington.

It has always been thought that any activity or boom that brings lots of money to a town is a good thing. Washington is suffering from too much money. There is too much money being spent in Washington. There is more money than commodities. As a consequence all prices have gone sky-high and it is almost impossible to obtain labor, especially domestic labor, while the prices paid for all kinds of foodstuffs and clothing are from 20 to 50 per cent higher than in other cities. The people who have to buy, who have to pay for all commodities, would like to see a part of this prosperity transferred to other cities.

Absolute confidence exists in government circles that the Fourth Liberty Loan is going to be a success. Curiously enough, it is already well known that people who did not subscribe for the first loan, subscribed a little for the second, and then a larger amount for the third, have been saving up for the express purpose of making a liberal subscription for the fourth loan. From all over the country reports are received showing that the people are more in earnest than ever before, and that as they see the sacrifices that are being made in this great war, they are more than willing to make some sacrifices themselves. Of course it costs a vast amount of money to carry on a war so far distant from our shores, but it is encouraging to the high officials in Washington to know that the people are going to furnish the necessary money whether it be in the shape of loans or taxes. And just as the big tax bill is brought out, it is dawning upon the minds of people that they had better invest their money in liberty bonds rather than in tax receipts.

When that belated agricultural survey bill was before the senate it was severely criticized in many particulars. Senator King of Utah asserted emphatically that the farmers were not asking for \$20,000,000 to be spent in sending federal clerks and commissioners to teach them how to farm. "We do not want that sort of thing in the middle West today or in any of the agricultural regions of the United States," said the Utah senator, "but what we do need is men to aid in investing and saving the crops. We want to save the tens of thousands of bushels of potatoes that rotted in the ground last year; we want to save the wheat that is grown, so that it can be manufactured into flour. In other words, we want men to take care of the crops that the farmers are now growing rather than to tell them how to grow crops or save their money."

Scott Ferris of Oklahoma, one of the rising generation in congress, made a lengthy speech on "America's Achievements in War Making," in the house not long ago. It was a red hot political speech too. Ferris acknowledged that there were a number of good Republicans helping to win the war, but he implied that no matter how fine a man a Republican might be, he would improve himself by becoming a Democrat. Of course the Oklahoma congressman was under a steady cross-fire from the Republican side. Minority Leader Gillett, Madden of Illinois, Longworth of Ohio and other Republican leaders questioning many of his statements. Ferris is quick-witted, however, and held up his end well enough to make his speech good reading for his Democratic readers.

## Study the Future Well.

The future contains your next block of Parian marble. Beware how you snuff it. Do not touch it until you have a plan, an idea, to work out of it. You may so mar the marble as to hinder the highest expression of your soul through it.

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IN

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## Well, What Do You Know About This?

Taken from testimony given by Prof. Frank L. C. Wadsworth, appearing as an expert for the Columbia Co. vs the Emerson Co. as follows: "Pathe records were the best sample of recording and music on the market and in his opinion excelled anything else in quality and that he could not testify conscientiously otherwise although he did not in any way profit by his testimony."

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## Two Rulers and the Fighter



MARSHAL HAIG

PRES. POINCARÉ

KING GEORGE

President Poincaré of France entertained King George of England on the recent visit of the latter to France and the fighting front. This photograph was taken with Marshal Haig, the British commander, who is doing the fighting for the king.

Contributed by the Brainerd Dispatch



# FLOOD OF WHEAT MOVING TO DULUTH

12,000 Cars on Minnesota Division,  
12,000 on Fargo Division, 14,000  
Cars Dakota Division

## 80 PER CENT TO GO TO DULUTH

Rush on to Get it to Head of Lakes  
Before Navigation Closes  
This Season

Every bit of manpower, of equipment, of rolling stock, is being rushed for service on the Northern Pacific to relieve the inundation of wheat in transportation to Duluth.

There are 12,000 cars of wheat on the Minnesota division west of Brainerd, 12,000 cars on the Fargo division and 14,000 cars on the Dakota division.

Eighty per cent of this wheat goes to Duluth via Brainerd, meaning 400 cars of wheat daily to be shoved through to the head of the lakes before navigation closes.

The Staples yards are jammed with grain. Back of all this near by grain of thousands of cars, is grain from as far west as Montana, lumber and other material.

## TEACHERS INSTITUTE IN CITY SEPT. 20-27

94 Pretty School Teachers and One  
Man in Attendance at High  
School Auditorium

## TWO STATE INSTRUCTORS

Special Attention to Language and  
Geography. Mrs. Irma Camp  
Hartley Gives Roster

A state teachers institute opened at the high school auditorium and will continue Sept. 26 and 27 with Mrs. Mary Lindholm and Miss Walters of Litchfield as instructors, special prominence being given language and geography.

Mrs. Irma Camp Hartley, county superintendent of schools, reported 95 teachers registered at the morning session which included one man. Much interest is being manifested. Patriotic work in the schools and communities will also be taken up.

The following are present, the addresses given being teaching addresses:

Marguerite Anderson, Route 1, Brainerd.  
Ruth M. Anderson, Merrifield.  
Irma Blake, normal cadet, Brainerd.  
Alice Cavender, Ft. Ripley.  
Fern Grimmer Clarke, Little Pine.  
Vera Dewald, normal dept., Brainerd.  
Ellen I. Dillon, home, Brainerd.  
Ruth Dykeman, Dykeman.  
Hilma Emilson, home Brainerd.  
Judith A. Erickson, R. 1, Deerwood.  
Helen Frost, Pequot.  
Anna Gordon, Cuyuna.  
Gladys Gray, R. 3, Brainerd.  
Nora Greer, normal dept. Brainerd.  
Geddie E. Holmstrom, Deerwood.  
Nellie E. Hamlet, Swanburg.  
Mary E. Hughey, R. 5, Brainerd.  
Christine Huseby, normal dept., Brainerd.  
Ida E. Huseby, R. 2, Brainerd.  
Isabel Irwin, Barrows.  
Irene Jones, Bay Lake school.  
Frances Keifenheim, Manganese.  
Margaret Keough, R. 3, Brainerd.  
Kathryn Kimball, Ft. Ripley.  
Ellen M. Lindholm, home, Brainerd.  
Hannah Linn, Ft. Ripley.  
Mazie Looker, R. 1, Deerwood.  
Anne Matson, Emily.  
Elnora McCorkle Nieswa.  
Ruth Nelson, normal cadet, Brainerd.

## S. F. ALDERMAN NEW MUSICAL DIRECTOR

Appointed First Leader of Crow Wing  
County by R. R. Wise, of Public  
Safety Commission

## WILL AID IN PATRIOTIC WORK

Mr. Alderman has Accepted with  
Pleasure and Will Soon Have  
Whole County Singing

Following instructions that a musical director, for patriotic singing be appointed in Crow Wing county R. R. Wise, county director of the Public Safety Commission, appointed S. F. Alderman and the county attorney accepted.

Mr. Alderman is blessed with a vibrant voice, is a cultured singer and knows how to put the pep into quartet or community singing. In fact Sam would rather sing than talk of eat.

It is hoped he can marshal his forces and get the community to sing at the county fair at Pequot on Brainerd and Red Cross day, Sept. 27.

## MANGANESSE

Manganese, Minn., Sept. 26—\$30-600 bonds have been issued for providing a water supply, constructing and maintaining water works and the bonds will be sold at a meeting of the village council Oct. 8, at 8 p. m.

Sewer district No. 1 has been established and a sewer fund created.

Hulda Oberg, home, Deerwood.  
Wanda Oberg, R. 1, Brainerd.  
Alma Schellin Persson, Dykeman.  
Sylvia Warren Persson, Dykeman.  
Frieda Peterson, R. 2, Brainerd.  
Ruth E. Pentin, home, Brainerd.  
Della Quine, Ft. Ripley.  
Lydia L. Roderick, Plak.  
Rachel Roderick, Merrifield.  
Millicent Russell, normal dept., Brainerd.

Vernie M. Sargent, Rt. 2, Brainerd.  
Gertrude Schellin, Dykeman.  
Mrs. Islay Schneider, Jenkins.  
Mrs. Adeline Smiley, R. 1, Brainerd.  
Ruth Soderlund, normal dept., Brainerd.

Ethel M. Stanley, Jenkins.  
Ora Stanley, Mission.  
Lillian Stearns Wolford.  
Nellie A. Swanson, R. 3, Brainerd.  
Ruth M. Templeton, normal dept., Brainerd.

Hope L. Thabes, normal dept., Brainerd.

Jessie Whitten, Trommald.  
Celesta Young, Crow Wing.  
Emma Zahn, Hubert.  
Georgena J. Bell, Cuyuna.  
Dorothy Gibb, Merrifield.  
May Buchanan, Trommald.  
Mary Foley, Cuyuna.  
Harriet M. Harris, Merrifield.  
Sadie Slett, Manganese.  
Fannie E. Bogart, Osagee.  
Helen E. Elvig, home, Brainerd.  
Edna L. Young, home, Osagee.  
Vivian E. Miller, Ft. Ripley.  
Bergetta Borliang, Star Rt., Brainerd.

Minna I. Feierabend, Mission.  
Marjorie O. Miller, Deerwood.  
Thilo Tenneson, Deerwood.  
Isabella Smith, Pine River.  
Sarah Peterson, Garrison.  
Emma A. Oils, Aitkin.  
Mae Benson, Merrifield.  
Mrs. C. O. Bush, Cuyuna.  
Vivian Anderson, Rt. 1, Deerwood.  
Ada Wunderlich, Star R. Brainerd.  
Marie M. Anderson, Rt. 2, Brainerd.

Chas. O. Bush, Cuyuna.  
Anna Meisala, R. 1, Brainerd.  
Frances Wulf, Cross Lake.  
Mabel Randall, R. 3, Brainerd.  
Mabel Anderson, Cross Lake.  
Venice Holst, home, Brainerd.  
Esther Johnson, R. 3, Brainerd.  
Theodora Ramsey, Pine River.  
Cordelia Houston, Cross Lake.  
Lillian Schwartzkopf, R. 1, Brainerd.

Lillian G. Balsinger, Ft. Ripley.  
Della Every, Little Pine.  
Myrtle Chenevert, Outing.  
Marie Knobel, Pequot.  
Otilie Rehbein, Aitkin.  
Anne Knuth, Platte Lake.  
Laura Nelson, Deerwood.  
Mrs. Mary Hellen, Ft. Ripley.

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LOCAL RED CROSS MONTHLY PLEDGES  
WERE DUE ON SEPT. 15  
If convenient accommodate your district collector by paying the balance due for the year.

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## ROLL OF HONOR

Sergeant George E. Day, son of Conductor Ed Day, has arrived safely overseas.

In a letter to the Dispatch J. O. Marcetich writes from England and says it is a very nice place he is in, he is getting along well. "Say hello to all my friends," requests Joe and that would be a task for Joe has a lot of friends. He also inquired about S. F. Alderman.

C. W. Lovdahl of the navy, home on a furlough, will soon return to Brooklyn. He motored to Brainerd with his brother and was accompanied by Miss Jessalyn Hall of Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McLellan of the city, received word of the safe arrival over seas of their son, George McLellan, Co. 1, 342d Inf., Camp Upton, New York.

## TROMMALT

Trommald, Minn., Sept. 28—The Pastorel Construction Co. is installing a water and sewer system.

## REQUEST TO TURN IN COMPLETED WORK

Mrs. J. P. Anderson, Supt. of Knitting of Red Cross, Asks it be Done Before Oct. 1

## KNITTERS CHARY WITH REPORT

Socks will Not be Accepted that Have Knots in Them, Must Come to Proper Measurements

Mrs. J. P. Anderson, Superintendent of the committee on knitting of the Brainerd Chapter, A. R. C. is anxious that all who have had yarn to complete articles for the Red Cross act promptly and turn these completed articles in before the first of October.

A number have had yarn for several months and have made no report to the chairman. It is high time that the completed articles are turned in or a report on the progress made to the chairman.

Attention is called to the fact that socks will not be accepted that have knots in them and that they must come up to the proper measurements, namely: not less than 3 1/2 inches nor more than 4 1/2 across. Socks must be washed, pressed and dried before turning in at the rest room. An order has been received for sweaters, and all who have yarn and are knitting sweaters are urged to complete them as soon as possible and turn them in at the rest room. All left over yarn should also be turned in. The co-operation of all Red Cross knitters is earnestly urged by the chairman.

## NO BUILDING UNLESS BY GOV. PERMIT

R. R. Wise, Director of Public Safety Commission of Crow Wing County, so Advised

## FULL DETAILS ARE TO FOLLOW

So Directed by D. R. Cotton, Regional Advisor of Minnesota, Conserve Man Power

There is to be no more building construction in Crow Wing county unless by government permit, the order resulting no doubt in an effort to conserve man power, money or material.

Instructions received by telegram by R. R. Wise, director of the Public Safety Commission of the county, state this:

"Advise all dealers in building materials in Crow Wing county that no new construction of any kind, no matter what the cost, may be undertaken or materials supplied for without owner first securing government permit. Writing full details today." Signed, D. R. Cotton, Regional Advisor.

Fay W. S. S. Pledges

## MODERN WOODMEN JOLLIFICATION

The Modern Woodmen will dedicate their service flag at Odd Fellow hall on Friday evening and State Deputy Edward F. Burns will be an honored guest and will speak on the occasion.

Woodmen from the whole county have been invited to attend. A smoke social, entertainment and card party will follow the dedication exercises.

A quartet composed of G. S. Swanson, John Bye, Sam Engbretson and Ole Larson will sing.

DISPATCH ADE PAY

## HOW EARLY TO GO TO HEAR BRYAN?

Opera House to be Crowded to the Doors to Hear Noted Nebraskan in Speech Tonight

## SPOKE HERE SIX YEARS AGO

Amendment to Constitution of State of Minnesota is of Vital Interest to All

"How early will I have to go to get a seat tonight," is the question being asked about the Bryan address at the Park opera house tonight.

The last time Mr. Bryan spoke in Brainerd was six years ago. He spoke from the rear of his train and it was with difficulty that one could get near enough to hear him despite the rain.

An amendment to the state constitution is always a momentous question and should be seriously considered. Mr. Bryan will discuss the advisability of the citizens of the state adopting the one proposed by the state legislature.

This question is of vital interest to women and a large number are expected out tonight.

Mr. Bryan addresses the people of Crosby this afternoon returning for the speech here tonight.

## IRONTON ITEMS

Ducks are Not Plentiful This Year, is the Consensus of Opinion of Range Hunters

Ironton, Minn., Sept. 26—E. A. Lamb has returned from a business trip to the Twin Cities.

No one reports a large crop of ducks this year.

Mr. and Lewis Sullivan are the parents of a baby daughter.

C. H. Gordon of Duluth was on the range.

O. E. Skelman has gone to Wadena and later will take the mud baths at Jordan.

The Ironton Hardware Co. has installed a new heating plant in Ellingson Brothers store.

Frank Butorac was in Chicago.

Edward R. Syverson is visiting his parents in Ulen.

## CORP. L. M. BENNETT WRITES FROM FRONT

Former Editor of Pillager Herald is Now Somewhere in France, Duties Also Company Clerk

## SEES BRAINERD MENTION

Wife on Sept. 26 Presented Him with Bouncing Baby Boy at the Northwestern Hospital

News which will make his eyes sparkle and which ought to be cabled to Corporal Lee M. Bennett, former editor of the Pillager Herald now on the West front, is that Mrs. Bennett, now at Northwestern hospital, presented him with a bouncing baby boy on the morning of September 26. The first word the little fellow said was "Down with the Boche" and he waved his chubby fist, evidently figuring on charging right then and there.

A letter received from Corporal Bennett this same morning is headed Co. C, 326th Infantry, Am. Ex. forces Sept. 3 and he writes to Hoffbauer of the Dispatch as follows:

Company "C" 326th Infantry "Amex Forces" 3, September, 1918

Mr. John A. Hoffbauer,  
% The Brainerd Dispatch,  
Brainerd, Minn.

My Dear Hoffbauer:

Just a few lines from the front line trenches "Somewhere in France" to let you know I am alive and well, and must say that the war is really agreeing with me as far as physical condition is concerned. This is my fourth trip to the front trenches, and to date the worst I have suffered from the Boche ("Jerry" we generally call him) is to have one of his snipers shoot some dirt in my face while on post in the trenches. Have gotten rid of the Hookworm which generally gets hold of country editors back in the states—a fellow just naturally throws it away when one of the Hun shells comes screeching through the air, and one hasn't any specific details where said pill is going to drop. However, glad to say, one is generally pretty safe after the first shell or so falls as then we generally know the target they are after.

One sees a great deal of air activity, and there is seldom an hour of the day that one does not hear airplanes overhead. Around the front trenches they are used only for observation, while in the rear they are generally used for bombing at nights. Just today I saw an observation balloon shot down in flames by a plane. Taken all in all I have seen many things here that I certainly can never forget, and if I pull through well

## Those \$4.95 Hats Have Style---Are Great Values

Women have expressed themselves most enthusiastically about the big values in \$4.95. There is a wide variety and they are hats which would be excellent at a higher price.

## Blue Devil Tams

You'll like the selection of tams we offer to you. The Blue Devil Tams are very popular just now---let us show you.

H. F. Michael Co.

and safe as I feel I will, I certainly will never regret the days I have spent here.

However what started me to write this letter is the fact that in last night's London Daily Mail (American edition for the Continent) I clipped the following little article from a column which contains short notes of important news from the states.

'New Menace to Ripening Wheat.

The farmers of Crow Wing county (Minn.) are alarmed over the appearance of an insect which is attacking ripening wheat and killing it at the first joint. Mr. Judd Wright detected the bug in his wheat just across the Mississippi River from Brainerd. Mr. P. B. Anderson found some on his farm in Crow Wing township south of Brainerd. Long Lake township also reports a visitation of the pest.

Judging from past observations I am quite positive that this little clipping originated from The Brainerd Dispatch City Editor, so thought you might want to keep it as a novelty.

This was clipped in the front line trenches from a newspaper dated Sept. 2nd so you can see that Uncle Sam has a good system, with the help of the Y. M. C. A., in furnishing his troops at the front.

Am now a corporal and doing the duties of the Company Clerk, and attend to the writing and clerical work of the company, so have a fairly good job.

Just recently heard in a letter from my wife that my old friend and brother editor, N. H. Ingersoll, of the Dispatch had passed to his reward. Was profoundly sorry to hear of his death, for I know that central Minnesota especially, and in fact all of the state, has lost one of its foremost boosters, editors, and MEN.

Trusting this will find you at your regular duties, and with best regards to my many friends and acquaintances in Brainerd, I remain,

Sincerely yours,  
CORPORAL LEE M. BENNETT,  
Company "C" 326th Infantry,  
American Ex. Forces.

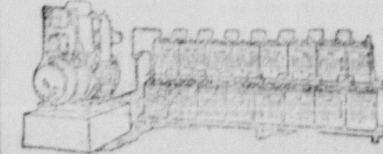
P. S.—By the way, I would more than appreciate an occasional copy of the Dispatch, as there is nothing so cheering as a letter or a paper from home.

## She Took Adler-i-ka!

"My wife had what the doctors call catarrh of the stomach for 15 years. Had to diet carefully and suffered much. She has now taken one bottle of Adler-i-ka and feels perfectly well." (Signed) B. F. Parker, Brock, Texas. Adler-i-ka expels ALL gas and sourness, stopping stomach distress INSTANTLY. Empty BOTH upper and lower bowel, flushing ENTIRE alimentary canal. Removes ALL foul matter which poisons system. Often CURES constipation. Prevents appendicitis. We have sold Adler-i-ka many years. It is a mixture of buckthorn, cascara, glycerine and nine other simple drugs. Johnson's Pharmacy.—Adv't.

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## Food Fair Price List

This Food Fair Price List has been prepared by the Brainerd Price Listing Committee of the U. S. Food Administration.

ANDREW E. BERGLUND, Co. Food Adm., Chairman N. BRADY, Sec'y.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1918

Commodity	Wholesale	Retail
Wheat flour, per 1-16 bbl., bag 1, 12 1/2 lb.	.73	.80
Wheat flour, bulk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Barley flour, per 10 lb. bag	.50	.56
Barley flour, blk, per lb.	.05	.06 1/2
Corn flour, 10 lb. bag	.58	.70
Rye flour, bulk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Corn flour, bulk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Rice flour, bulk, per lb.	.09 1/2	.12 1/2
Corn meal, bulk, per lb.	.05	.06
Cornmeal, package, 10 lb. pkg.	.52	.60
Victory Bread, price per loaf, 24 oz.	.12	.15
Victory bread, price per loaf, 16 oz.	.08	.10
Oatmeal or rolled oats, bulk, lb.	.06 1-3	.08
Oatmeal or rolled oats, pkg., 3 lb 7 oz.	.25 1/2	.30
Rice, unbroken, standard quality, lb.	.11 1/2	.14
Hominy or hominy grits, per lb.	.07 1-3	.09
Sugar, granulated, bulk	.08 1/2	.10
Beans white, navy or pea, not lina, lb.	.13 1/2	.16
Beans, colored, Pinto or any other	.12	.15
Potatoes, white or Irish, per lb.	.01 3/4	.02
Onions, per lb.	.04 1/2	.05
Raisins, seeded, per 16 oz. pike	.13	.15
Prunes, medium, size 70-80, lb.	.12 to .14	.14 to .18
Canned tomatoes, standard grade, per 20 oz. no. 2 can	.15	.18
Canned corn, standard grade, per 20 oz. No. 2 can	.15 1/2	.18
Canned peas, standard grade, per 20 oz. No. 2 can	.11 to .16	.12 1/2 to .20
Canned salmon, tall, pink, Alaska, per 16 oz. No. 1 can	.18	.23
Canned salmon tall red Alaska per 16 oz. (No. 1) can	.27	.30
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 6 oz. can	.05 1/2	.07
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 16 oz. can	.10 to .12 1/2	.12 1/2 to .15
Milk, bottled, per qt.	.09	.10
Butter, creamery, print, per lb.	.57c	.62c
Oleomargarine, per lb., prints	.32	.36
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	.42	.46
Cheese, American, full cream, cut, per lb.	.31 1/2	.35
Lard, pure, bulk, per lb.	.28 3/4	.32
Lard, pure, in pkg. per lb.	.30 1/4	.35
Lard substitute, tub, per lb.	.34 1/4	.38 1/2
Lard substitute in tin, per lb.	.24 1/2	.28 3/4
Bacon, breakfast, sliced, standard grade, per lb.	.29 to .48	.35 to .62
Pork chops, per lb.	.33 1/2	.35 to .40
Ham, smoked, sliced, per lb.	.33 1/2	.45 to .52
Round steak, per lb.	.25	.30
Hens, year or more old, dressed, lb.	.16 to .20	.23 to .26
Home Fish, fresh, lb.	.14 to .18	.17 to .21

## Here's The Stove To Buy

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and night--no fires to  
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is in a class by itself. It's more carefully made than any other. Try it on your parlor stove, your cook stove or your fire place. If you don't find it the best polish you ever used, your hardware or grocery dealer is authorized to refund your money.

There's "A Shine in Every Drop"

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# Dispatch Want Ads

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls at Ideal hotel. 2952-821f

WANTED—Chamber maid at Iron Exchange hotel. 3062-981f

WANTED—Engineer at Ransford Hotel. 3031-921f

WANTED—Girl at St. Joseph's hospital. 2934-791f

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. H. W. Linnemann. 3013-891f

WANTED—Men for cement work. Good wages. Ernest Rittell. 3058-971f

WANTED—Drill helpers. Steady work. Apply Crosby Exploration Co., Crosby, Minn. 2964-841f

WANTED—Laborers at Parker & Topping Foundry. 40c per hour. Apply to foreman. 3050-941f

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 515 N. 5th St. 2996-871f

WANTED—Fireman. Steady employment for competent, careful man. Model Laundry Co. 2897-731f

WANTED—Girl for general housework; washing sent out. Mrs. Carl Zapffe, 504 3rd St. N. 2870-691f

WANTED—At once, experienced kitchen girl. Wages \$25 per month. Dairy Lunch. 2976-851f

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Phone 624-J. 3060-981f

SEWING and dressmaking girls wanted at steady salary \$9.00 to \$15.00 a week. Write fully. English-Bjorklund, Modistes, St. Paul. 3044-941f

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good wages to right party. Mrs. J. F. Woodhead, 704 No. 4th St. N. 3051-951f

WANTED—Timber trammers at Wilcox mine at Woodrow. No experience necessary, wages \$4.50 day of 8 hours. Also man wanted for work in drying plant. Apply at Mine Office, Woodrow. 3048-941f

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 722 South Broadway. 3056-971f

FOR RENT—Men's room for bathing on Front street. \$2.50 month. Nettleton. 3059-971f

FOR RENT—Living room and bedroom on first floor, modern. 224 N. 6th St., phone 731-J. 2986-861f

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FOR RENT—Double front offices, in the Sleeper block, formerly occupied by Dr. D. E. Nelson. Apply to J. R. Smith. 3054-961f

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FOR RENT—Five room house, barn, well, large grounds. 919 12th St. N. E. \$10.00. Mens rooms on Front St., \$2.50 monthly. Nettleton. 3040-931f

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—One 12 h. p. Fuller & Johnson gasoline engine, with movable trucks. Woodhead Motor Co. 2742-451f

FOR SALE—Five passenger automobile. Inquire at Dispatch office. 2823-611f 341f

FOR SALE—Two shares of stock of the Brainerd Publishing Co., publishing the Brainerd Journal-Press, of the par value of \$100 per share, at a discount of 50 per cent. Geo. H. Gardner. 3034-931f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Cottage at Nisswa. Terms if desired. Address J. S., Dispatch. 2733-431f

FOR SALE—Typewriter and flat desk. Phone 601-M. 2993-871f

FOR SALE—House in N. E. Brainerd. Also a 1918 model Ford. Phone 805-R or see Geo. Cain at Angel's Feed Store. 3063-981f

FOR SALE—Several used and slightly used pianos at bargain. Folsom Music Co. 3030-921f

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For improved farm, 7 room house in Crosby. Write Box 234, Crosby, Minn. 2958-831f

CODYVILLE—Building sites facing Bluff Ave. \$150.00 each, easy terms if desired. A. L. Hoffman, Opash block. 3000-831f

FOR SALE—Peninsula range. Perfection oil stove and oven, infants bassinet. Can be seen any evening at 411 South Broadway. Phone 167-J. 3053-961f

## FOR SALE—Continued

FOR SALE—Piano. Good as new. Terms to suit. Phone 499-W. 3018-901f

FOR SALE—Six room residence, city water, sewer, gas, electric lights; convenient to shops and foundry. 1626 E. Oak St. 3035-931f

FOR SALE—Woodsaw, 5 horsepower engine, used two winters. A bargain. Call at 901 South 3rd St. 3057-971f

FOR SALE—Reed baby buggy, 412 N. 9th St., Phone 679-W. 3061-981f

FOR SALE—Buick 1917 model D-45, recently overhauled, new tires, valves and batteries, all extras any car can hold. Price \$1000.00. Inquire of F. H. Simpson, Citizens State bank. 3019-901f

FOR SALE—One Jersey cow, one Jersey heifer, one heifer calf. Come quickly if you want a bargain. Call or address 204 Iron Exchange or 311 N. Broadway. 3029-921f 3911w

FOR SALE—\$1450.00 seven room dwelling, partly modern, four lots, on north Bluff avenue. This price is less than half value, easy terms. J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 3021-901f

FOR SALE—Fine summer cottage on Hubert lake, within two minutes walk of Hubert station. Fine beach. Best location on lake. Inquire at this office or address E. W. Kaley, Hubert, Minn. 2910-771f

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FOR SALE CHEAP—A good oak finish cupboard, good as new, at the Gardner store, room opposite City Hall. \*\*\*\*\*

HOUSE FOR SALE—The parish of St. Francis Catholic church through its board of trustees desires to sell six room dwelling house (823 Juniper St.) located on lots 1 and 2, Block 100, original town of Brainerd and requests that sealed bids for purchase of same be submitted to the secretary on or before the tenth day of October, 1918. Conditions of sale will require that purchaser remove house from the above described premises on or before December 1, 1918. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. J. J. Nolan, secretary board of trustees. 3056-971f

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To rent, two or three room flat or house, by October 1st. Address "J. N.," care Dispatch. 3042-941f

WANTED—A place to work for room and board while attending high school. Phone 522-W. 3047-951f

WANTED—Place to work for room and board by young girl while attending high school. Write or phone Store at Crow Wing. 3055-961f

LOST—A bunch of 3 keys between 6th and Laurel and corner East Bluff Ave. and Main street on Saturday. Finder please leave at Dispatch office for reward. 3052-951f

## FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

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## CHECK SPANISH INFLUENZA

Federal and State Authorities Decide to Co-operate.

Washington, Sept. 25.—Rapid spread of Spanish influenza, especially in the East, is resulting in the joining of federal and state forces for more effective measures to check the malady.

The serious situation in New England and more especially in Massachusetts, which has called for the proclamation by the governor suggesting the closing of schools, churches and places of amusement, was discussed by the health service authorities.

Surgeon General Rupert Blue already has called attention to the danger of contracting influenza at large gatherings.

## Catarrrhal Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrrhal deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound of imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrrh which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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## THE LIBERTY LOAN SMILE.



Some citizen of the United States of America bought a Liberty bond; perhaps it was only a fifty dollar bond.

A portion of the money loaned to the Government by the purchaser of this Liberty bond bought the steel helmet this soldier is holding up for your inspection. The soldier, when he put it on, called it a "tin hat". The soldier wearing this "tin hat" which was bought for him with Liberty Loan money wore it in the battle. A half dozen bullets rattled against it and the "tin hat" tossed them off and the soldier kept on fighting.

Anyone of these bullets would have stopped the soldier, perhaps forever.

Finally a piece of shrapnel came along and smashed up against the "tin hat". Of course "tin hats" are not built to withstand shrapnel and

## BIG NAVAL INCREASE

Great Britain Has 8,000,000 Tons of Fighting Craft.

John Bull Effectively Replies to German Ruthless Diver Campaign.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Lieut. Col. G. G. Woodmark of the British army, in an address here at the American Bankers' association convention, said England's army numbers 8,500,000 men, while her navy has an excess of 8,000,000 tons and nearly 500,000 men.

From a standing army of 300,000 the land forces jumped to 5,000,000 through the volunteer system, he said, while the balance was secured through conscription. The islands supplied 6,250,000 men, Canada 1,000,000, India and the dependencies 1,500,000.

In 1914 England had 2,600,000 tons of fighting ships and a personnel of 145,000 men and officers. He pointed to the tremendous increase in fighting tonnage as an answer to Berlin's U-boats.

Germany, he said, cannot win the war because she lacks the spiritual power of the Allies.

J. Elwood Cox, High Point, N. C., said the country must save an additional \$15,000,000,000 this year to pay taxes and buy Liberty bonds. Consideration of finances after the war was urged. He said with the close of fighting the railroads of this country will need \$4,000,000,000 annually, the Allies \$5,000,000,000, South America \$1,000,000,000.

## AVIATOR DESTROYS U-BOAT

Drops Bombs on Craft After Driving Crew Below.

London, Sept. 26.—The first case in which it is known that a submarine fought back when attacked by a sea-plane resulted in the probable destruction of the submarine by J. W. Carson, an American aviator, it was announced by the Admiralty.

With shrapnel from the elevated forward gun of the submarine bursting around his plane, Ensign Carson maneuvered until he was able to pour machine gun fire into the crew, felling two and driving the rest inside.

The submarine submerged and as she was diving two bombs were dropped on her. Within a few minutes the bow of the U-boat appeared on the surface and remained visible about four minutes. More bombs were dropped in this interval and it is believed the undersea craft was either badly damaged or destroyed.

## HONORS GENERAL PERSHING

King of Montenegro Awards Grand Cross and Gold Medal.

Washington, Sept. 26.—General Pershing has been decorated with the Grand Cross of the Order Danile and

the steel gave way letting daylight through the hat, but nevertheless the steel was good enough and tough enough to so pause that piece of shrapnel in its flight that after it got through it only made a scalp wound in the soldier's head.

The army surgeon, maintained by Liberty bonds, quickly bandaged up the head and the soldier is wearing a Liberty Loan smile.

Now you people who hesitate about buying Liberty bonds, just stop and look at this picture. This lad is fighting for you but where would he be if somebody, perhaps somebody in your own home town, had not put up the money to the Government that the Government might buy him this good "tin hat." After you have pondered over this, go buy Fourth Liberty Loan bonds.

The Oblitch Gold Medal by King Nicholas of Montenegro in honor of the St. Mihiel victory, a Paris dispatch announces. Similar honors were awarded General Foch.

## DAILY MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Sept. 26.—Oats, October, 70¢@69¢; November, 71¢@70¢; rye, October, \$1.58½@1.57½; November, \$1.60½@1.59½.

Duluth Flax.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 26.—Flaxseed, September, \$4.18@4.14; October, \$4.19@4.06; November, \$4.06@4.03½; December, \$4.03@4.01.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Corn, October, \$1.47½@1.45½; November, \$1.45½@1.43½; oats, September, 73¢@72½; October, 74¢@73½; November, 74¢@74½.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets.)—Hogs, 12,000; market fully steady to strong with yesterday's average; butchers, \$19.40@20; light, \$19.50@19.65; packing, \$18.35@19.25; rough, \$17.75@18.25; pigs, good to choice, \$18@18.50. Cattle, 19,000; market slow, bids unevenly lower on all killing cattle except best native steers; calves, 25c lower; beef cattle, Good, choice, and prime, \$16@19.60; common and medium, \$10@16; butcher stock, cows and heifers, \$7@12.50; canners and cutters, \$6@7; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, \$11@14; inferior, common and medium, \$8@11; veal calves, good and choice, \$18.25@19.25. Sheep, 3,500; steady; lambs slow and tendency lower.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Sept. 26.—BUTTER—Creamery extras, per lb, 55c; extra firsts, 55c; firsts, 55c; seconds, 54c; dairies, 45c; packing stock, 39c.

EGGS—Fresh prime firsts, new cases, 45c; current receipts, 40c; 30c; 25c; 20c; 15c; 10c; 5c; 0c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs and over, 30c; thin, small, 11@12c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, old and young, 15c; ducks, 20c; geese, 15c; hens, 4 lbs and over, 27c; hens, under 4 lbs, 24c; springs, all weights, 25c.

## FAILS TO SCORE ANY HITS

Washington Officials Ignore Hertling's Peace Wall.

Washington, Sept. 26.—German Chancellor Hertling's artillery support of Baron Buriann's previous Austrian peace barrage failed to score any hits in official quarters.

On the other hand, however, the clamor set up by all the German statesmen warning against international gloom or collapse, rash statements as to the U-boat successes and the older cry of "we must battle on in defense of our kultur," indicated to officials that real alarm is manifesting itself in Germany at the turn of events on all fronts.

## WHILE AT WAR

### Women Suffer at Home

St. Paul, Minn.—"When I felt that I should have something to build me up and give me strength, I started taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It seems to be just what I need as I am feeling better than I have for years."—Mrs. STELLA WILLIAMS, 141 Pleasant St.

St. Cloud, Minn.—"Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been a favorite medicine of mine for years. It has been very effective in relieving me of liver trouble, and as a blood tonic to tone up one's system, there's nothing better. I can highly recommend this medicine for the relief and benefit it has given me."—Mrs. THERESA SMITH, 711 14th Ave., South.



"Favorite Prescription," the ever-famous friend to ailing women, and "Golden Medical Discovery," the greatest general tonic, are both put up in liquid and tablets, contain no alcohol or habit-forming drugs, and are to be found in nearly all drug stores. The tablets cost 60 cents. These medicines of Dr. Pierce's have enjoyed an immense sale for nearly 50 years which proves their merits as well as the statements made by users. If not obtainable at your dealer's send 10 cents to Dr. V. M. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will mail trial package of either tablets; also write for free medical advice, if there is need.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the liver and bowels have also been favorably known for nearly 50 years.

Foe Paper Building to Be Hospital, New York, Sept. 26.—The building on Central Park west, formerly occupied by the Deutscher Verein, has been turned over to the Red Cross as a hospital for convalescent soldiers. A safe formerly owned by Captain Boy-Ed will be retained to safeguard medical records.

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